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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner:

The three (3) month shortened statutory period for response in the above-identified patent application expired on December 19, 2006. Filed concurrently herewith is a Response to Office Action, which is being submitted within the three month period after the expiration of the shortened statutory period. The period of time is to extend from December 19, 2006 to March 19, 2007.


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